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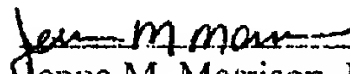
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The applicants wish to thank Examiner Gupta for the courtesy of the telephonic examiner interview conducted on September 5, 2005 with the undersigned. The remarks set forth in the Interview Summary Form that accompanied the Notice of Allowability dated September 7, 2005 are consistent with the substance of that interview and are believed to address the outstanding issues as discussed during the interview. Permission was granted by the undersigned during the interview to amend claims 15-17 to delete reference to the term "functionally related derivatives" in each of claims 15-17 and to cancel claims 1, 6-14, 18-21, and 23-30.

Respectfully submitted,


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